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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In Re Patent Application of: Doreen L. Galli

Group Art Unit: 3627	:	IBM Corporation
Examiner: Steven B. McAllister	:	Intellectual Property Law
Serial No.: 10/032,746	:	Department IQ0A/040-3
Filed: 10/23/2001	:	1701 North Street
Title: MANAGING STOCK AVAILABLE	:	Endicott, New York 13760
TO ON-LINE AND IN-PERSON		
SHOPPERS		

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**AMENDMENT**

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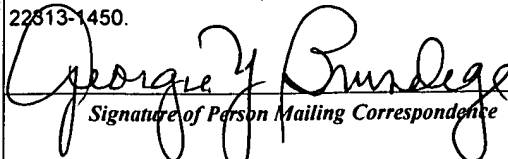
**In the drawings:**

Please replace FIGS. 1 and 2 as originally filed with the replacements now provided.

**In the claims:**

- 1 1. (currently amended) A method ~~for determining the availability~~
- 2 ~~of an item requested by~~ of operating a combined on-line and

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<b>AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER (Large Entity)</b>				Docket No. <b>RSW920010198US1</b>	
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Invention: <b>MANAGING STOCK AVAILABLE TO ON-LINE AND IN-PERSON SHOPPERS</b>					
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